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In re the application of:)
) Examiner: GUERRERO, M.
Shrinivasan et al.)
) Group Art Unit: 2822
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) Atty. Docket No.: NOVEP012
Filed: November 7, 2001)
, 2001) Date: April 18, 2005
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
SEALING SUBSTRATE LOAD PORT)
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated <u>April 5, 2005</u>, the Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, group I, claims 1-11, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application. The Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,

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